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SIGNAL STATISTICS DETERMINATION

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

5. (Amended) Apparatus as claimed in claims 1 or 2, wherein the event detecting means is operable to detect first and second different types of events, and the combining means is operable to combine versions of the signal shifted by amounts corresponding to the first type of events in a predetermined manner with versions of the signal shifted with respect to each other by amounts